
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. Section 302A-1164, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended as follows:

3 1. By amending its title to read:

4 "§302A-1164 Self-administration of medication by student
5 and emergency administration; self-testing and self-management
6 of diabetes by student; assistance with diabetes testing and
7 management; permitted."

8 2. By amending subsections (a) and (b) to read:

9 "(a) The department shall permit:

10 (1) The self-administration of medication by a student for
11 asthma, anaphylaxis, diabetes, or other potentially
12 life-threatening illnesses; and

13 (2) Department employees and agents to volunteer to
14 administer insulin or assist a student in
15 administering insulin via the insulin delivery system
16 that the student uses or glucagon in an emergency
17 situation to students with diabetes[-] or administer



1 auto-injectable epinephrine in an emergency situation
2 to students with anaphylaxis.

3 (b) The student's parent or guardian shall provide the
4 department with:

5 (1) Written authorization for the self-administration of
6 medication or the emergency administration of
7 glucagon[+] or auto-injectable epinephrine;

8 (2) In the case of self-administration of medication,
9 students with diabetes may perform the student's own
10 blood glucose checks, administer insulin through the
11 insulin delivery system that the student uses, and
12 otherwise attend to the care and management of the
13 student's diabetes pursuant to the student's medical
14 management plan and during any school-related
15 activity, and possess on the student's person all
16 necessary supplies and equipment to perform the
17 diabetes monitoring and treatment activities required
18 pursuant to the student's medical management plan,
19 written certification from the student's physician,
20 advanced practice registered nurse, or physician
21 assistant stating that the student:



1 (A) Has asthma, anaphylaxis, diabetes, or another
2 potentially life-threatening illness; and

3 (B) Is capable of, and has been instructed in, the
4 proper method of self-administration of
5 medication; and

6 (3) In the case of administration of insulin or emergency
7 administration of glucagon to a student with
8 diabetes[7] or auto-injectable epinephrine to a
9 student with anaphylaxis, written certification from
10 the student's physician, advanced practice registered
11 nurse, or physician assistant stating that the student
12 has medical orders that insulin, glucagon, or auto-
13 injectable epinephrine may be administered by a
14 volunteer."

15 3. By amending subsection (g) to read:

16 "(g) Any employee or agent who volunteers to administer
17 insulin or glucagon in an emergency situation to a student with
18 diabetes or auto-injectable epinephrine to a student with
19 anaphylaxis shall receive instruction in the proper
20 administration of insulin or glucagon or auto-injectable
21 epinephrine by a qualified health care professional. A



1 "qualified health care professional" means a licensed physician,
2 physician assistant, advanced practice registered nurse or
3 registered nurse, or certified diabetes educator. The student's
4 parent or guardian shall supply the school with the glucagon kit
5 required to administer the glucagon[-] or with auto-injectable
6 epinephrine supplies to administer epinephrine. The school
7 shall store the glucagon kit or auto-injectable epinephrine
8 supplies in a secure but accessible location."

9 SECTION 2. The department of education shall submit a
10 report to the legislature no later than twenty days prior to the
11 convening of the regular session of 2016. The report shall
12 include:

- 13 (1) The status of the implementation of section 1 of this
14 Act;
15 (2) Any cost factors and considerations for the
16 implementation of section 1 of this Act;
17 (3) The training needs of the department of education to
18 meet the requirements of section 1 of this Act; and
19 (4) Any proposed legislation.

20 SECTION 3. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
21 and stricken. New statutory material is underscored.



1 SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2015.



Report Title:

Administering of Auto-injectable Epinephrine; Students with Anaphylaxis; Testing and Management; Students with Diabetes

Description:

Authorizes Department of Education (DOE) employees and agents to volunteer to administer auto-injectable epinephrine to a student with anaphylaxis in an emergency situation and to assist in the testing and management of diabetes for students. Allows students with diabetes to self-test and self-manage their illness. Requires DOE to report on the status of implementation. (HB10 HD1)

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